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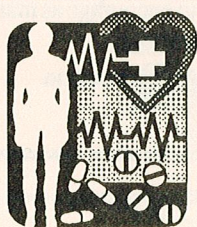
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Olin Diversifies Service

This fall, Olin Library and the Winter Park Center of Valencia Community College developed an agreement for (VCC-WP) students in advance composition classes to use resources in the Olin Library. Approximately 100 students attended an hour library orientation during the month of September.

The Florida Interacademic Consortium (FLIC) is a liberal arts partnership program between Rollins College and Florida secondary schools. Its primary mission is to offer qualified high school students the opportunity to take Rollins courses for college credit during their junior and senior years of high school. FLIC classes are taught at the high schools by exemplary secondary school teachers who are trained in workshops and seminars by Rollins professors. In addition to knowledge and skills acquired, FLIC students develop self-confidence a sensitivity to the environment, and the ability to work independently. Currently we provide services to approximately 120 students at Lake Highland Preparatory School, Apopka, Maynard Evans, Oak Ridge, and West Orange high schools.



Health Nook

The Olin Library Health Nook was established in 1986 to provide literature for our patrons on current health concerns. Our first effort was to make books available for the patrons to check out. As we found more material available in educational pamphlets, we began to provide them "free of charge".

The educational pamphlets discuss health from the unique viewpoint of the young adult. Some of the titles are quite popular and disappear much faster than others.

The major emphasis is on AIDS, sex education and alcohol. Most of our literature comes from the American College Health Association and the U.S. Public Health service. We will display literature from other sources that has been approved by our Health Nook Committee.

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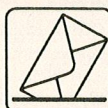
LIBRARY INFORMATION

DATABASES ON CD-ROM & ONLINE

CD-ROM is a new technology that can access and store vast amounts of bibliographic information efficiently. CD-ROMs, (Compact Disc-Read Only Memory) are very similar to audio cd's. Searching with CD-ROM is fast and easy to use.

Databases available in Olin include:

BOOKS IN PRINT	DIALOG
UCF Library Catalog	Government Documents
County & City Data Book	National Trade Data Bank
1990 Census	ProQuest Periodical Abstracts



From The Library Suggestion Box

You asked or commented (C). Here are our responses (R):

- C. "The computer system is outdated. Other colleges in the area have systems that allow them to 'share' listings of holding with other libraries."
- R. Through a PC in the Reference Area, we are able to access the LUIS system containing the holdings of all the libraries in the State University system, including the University of Central Florida (UCF). Additionally our OCLC terminal will give you access to the location of more than 26,000,000 titles and Winter Park Public Library's Reference holdings now appear as listings labeled "Winter Park Public Library" in the Olin Online Catalog. We would be glad to teach you how to search these catalogs.
- C. "Not enough copiers to handle activity during peak periods. It is very inconvenient to get change for \$5.00 and \$10.00 bills. Suggest use of card readers that can be purchased and used in the copy machines."
- R. The Library has been waiting for the College to adopt a campus-wide vend-a-card system. If this is not done soon, the Library will purchase and have installed such equipment. The down side to this is that copy cost will probably increase to 7 or 8 cents per copy to cover cost of the equipment.
- C. "Half the lights in the Reading Tower are out."
- R. Thanks, we call to request bulb replacements on a regular basis.
- C. "It's always hot in the library..."
- R. We're constantly adjusting temperatures in the building in the interest of comfort, however we have an equal number of complaints that it's too cold. So, please feel free to mention it to a Librarian, a staff member or the Director. Also, be specific as to what area is too hot/cold.

Director's Notes...

Dear Readers:

With the Fall, 1992 term almost over, this issue of *Olin Info*, the official newsletter of the Olin Library, will be both a brief review of the past 15 weeks and projections for the future. If it appears to be a bit "hi-tech," you have captured the moment in Olin Library.

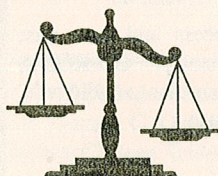
Our current focus, in addition to providing basic services that you have come to expect of us, is to enhance those services with computer-based resources. We now train students, faculty and staff to conduct their own searches of extensive computer-assisted subject databases, such as DIALOG and WESTLAW. (We call it End-User Searching.) The scope of

the ProQuest index to periodicals has been upgraded to more than 1,400 titles. And, you now have access to the index to Government documents, *Books in Print*, the 1990 Census of the Population, and the *County and City Data Book* on CD-ROM. These are all provided in a network "Hi-Tech" cluster of computers and printers for printing citations. Of course, you do remember the online catalog too, don't you.

All of these research services await you in Olin Library. And, your current level of computer skills is adequate to begin to utilize them.

George C. Grant

Director of Libraries



WESTLAW and Legal Resources Now in Olin Library

The Paralegal Studies Program of the Rollins College Center for Lifelong Education opened in September, 1992. Now additional resources not normally found in a liberal arts college library are available in Olin Library. Students enrolled in the program are learning to use *The Florida Digest 2d*, *The Florida Statutes*, *The Southern Reporter 2d*, *Florida Jurisprudence 2d*, and other legal resources in the research and preparation of legal documents.

They are also learning to locate information about cases, statutes, codes, regulations, legal texts and other secondary materials on WESTLAW, the computer assisted legal research database.

Use of WESTLAW, however, is presently restricted to students enrolled in the Paralegal Studies program. All other Rollins students, faculty and staff are encouraged to use the DIALOG database for their research.



End-User Database Searching

Learn to perform your own electronic database searches on library computers.

The Olin Library has access to more than 300 electronic databases through DIALOG and DIALOG Classroom Instruction Programs. These databases cover virtually every academic discipline, a wide range of business and finance information, and various full-text current-awareness sources.

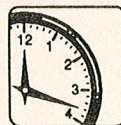
In keeping with one of the latest trends, the Olin Library faculty is now training interested users to perform their own online searches. We believe that access to these databases can be especially useful to our students, faculty and staff and we want to encourage as many as possible to take advantage of these resources.

Call the Reference Desk at 646-2376 for more information.

Staff Update...

The Indiana University Center on Philanthropy, on behalf of the Lilly Endowment Inc., has awarded Donna Cohen, Associate Professor and Head of Acquisitions, a grant to support a research sabbatical. Her research will examine philanthropic support for the construction of academic libraries, using Rollins College as a case study. In November, 1992, Prof. Cohen presented a paper on "Serials Evaluation as a Continuous, Cooperative Process" at the Annual Charleston Conference on Issues in Book and Serial Acquisition.

Kathleen Reich, Head of the Department of College Archives and Special Collections, received a Critchfield Fellowship grant for her research on "German Schools and Libraries in Namibia: Carriers of an Alien Culture in a Changing Land." She will investigate the influence of German culture, beginning with the establishment of the German Protectorate in 1884 and ending in 1915 when South West Africa came under South African control. Particular interest will be paid to the dual educational system established by the German Colonial Administration.



End-User Data Base Hours

Monday - Thursday

11:00 am to 9:00 pm

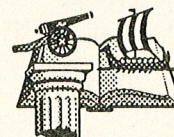
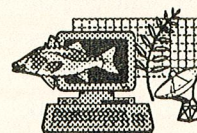
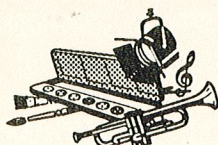
Friday

9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Sunday

2:30 pm to 5:00 pm

6:00 pm to 8:00 pm



DOCS DATA: Got a Tough Question?

Where can I find a copy of the address by Lech Walesa before the joint session of Congress?

I need information on exporting to Taiwan and trade information on Brazil.

Where can I find primary sources on relations between Japan and the United States before World War II?

Do you have any reports on the ecology of Appalachicola Bay?

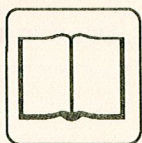
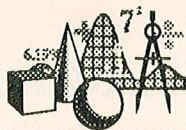
Does a treaty give the United States the right to force a plane to land at a NATO base? (Achille Lauro incident).

Are there any maps showing U.S. intervention in Central America?

These were just a few questions from students that were answered last year from publications in the Olin Library Documents Collections.

Since 1909, Rollins has been receiving selected publications through the United States Government Printing Office's Depository Library System. This system makes available throughout the country permanent collections of government publications for preservation and education. Information on almost any subject from art to zoology can be found in Olin Library's collection of over 40,000 documents. We have some of the earliest historical documents (Congressional debates from 1789), and we have some of the latest in electronic information (1990 Census on CD-ROM).

If you have a tough question (or an easy one), ask for assistance at the Information Desk on the second floor of the Olin Library. The reference librarian will direct you to the Documents Department on the first floor. The documents staff enjoys the challenging as well as the routine question.



Christmas Break Library Schedule

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17 -
SUNDAY, JANUARY 3**

	<u>Interim Schedule</u>
Monday - Friday	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
Saturday - Sunday	Closed
Dec. 24-25 (Christmas)	Closed
Dec. 31- Jan. 1 (New Year's)	Closed



Do you need a book or periodical article that Olin Library does not own? The Olin Library Interlibrary Loan service will locate and order it for you. Stop by the Reference Desk and fill out a request form. We'll locate and request the items for you. However, plan ahead. It may take several days/weeks for the requested item to be sent to us from another library.

Under our current policies, students and staff may request a total of five (5) books/articles per month.

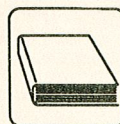
Faculty may request a maximum of ten (10) items per month.

SYMPOSIUM PLANNED ON M.P. SHIEL COLLECTION

The A. Reynolds Morse Collection of M. P. Shiel, Olin Library, Rollins College, is dedicated to the preservation, acquisition and promotion of the works of the Edwardian author, M.P. Shiel. The Library also wants to provide a forum for the study of the works of Shiel as well as for the discussion and dissemination of information about Shiel and related topics. To this end, a questionnaire has been sent to Shiel scholars and science fiction researchers throughout the world to survey their interest in such programs or publications. Most of those responding have indicated an interest in a symposium to be held in the Fall of next year to be followed with a publication.

Donated to the College in 1989, The A. Reynolds Morse Collection of M.P. Shiel is one of the most complete bibliographic collections of the author's work in existence and included other seminal works in science fiction, fantasy and mystery. The works of Louis Tracy and John Gawsworth are also included. With assistance from Ren Morse, Curator Emeritus, and John Squires, books and periodicals are constantly being added to enhance the Collection.

Persons interested in participating in a symposium, colloquium, research or discussions of Shiel and related topics should contact: Deborah W. Walk, The A. Reynolds Morse Collection of M.P. Shiel, Olin Library, Campus Box 2744 or telephone extension x2421.



Reference Hours

Monday - Thursday	9:00 am to 10:00 pm
Friday	9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Saturday	10:00 am to 5:00 pm
Sunday	1:30 pm to 9:00 pm

When Classes Are In Session

HOLIDAY READING AND LISTENING ENTERTAINMENT

BABAR AND FATHER CHRISTMAS on Film Room Video- tape No. 0151.

CHRISTMAS IN THE STABLE by Astrid Lindgren, PZ7 .L6585 Ch 2 Juvenile.

CHRISTMAS STORIES by Wilhelmina Harper, PN 6071 .C6 W3 1935.

HERSHEL AND THE HANUKKAH GOBLINS by Eric A. Kimmel, PZ7.K5648 He 1989 Juvenile.

THE MESSIAH by Handel, Reserve Desk Compact Disc No. 27.

THE NUTCRACKER at the Reserve Desk Compact Disc No. 59 and No. 245, and on Film Room Video- tape No. 0149.

Enjoy the Holidays!



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EXHIBITS:

*November-
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Edna McClellan, the Catalogue Librarian, is exhibiting her collection of childrens' books during the holiday season.

The collection of angels shown in the display are on loan from Donna Gray of Acquisitions.